June 6

#### Another Freezer.

The Canso Cold Storage Co., Limited, with a capital of \$100,000 will erect a freezing plant at Canso for the purpose of supplying bait to the Nova Scotia and Gloucester fishing fleets.

#### Good Trip.

Sch. Orinoco, Capt. Miles Somers, is at this port this morning with a fine shack trip of 120,000 pounds of fresh fish.

#### Biggest Clam Ever Dug.

A clam weighing an ounce over two pounds was dug at Greenwich Bay, R. I., recently. The shells were five and one-half inches long, and three-quarters of an inch wide, and when closed naturally the circumference was 131-2 inches.

June 7

# DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

## To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Hattie L. Trask, Georges, 30,000 lbs. cod, 2000 lbs. halibut.

Sch. Illinois, Cape North, 100,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Eglantine, Cape Shore, 80,000 lbs fresh fish.

#### Today's Fish Market.

Board of Trade prices for salt and fresh fish:

Salt hsh, handline Georges cod, \$4,25 per cwt. for large, \$3.50 for medium; trawl Georges cod, \$4.00 for large, \$3.25 for medium; trawl Bank cod, \$3.37 1-2 for large, \$3.00 for medium; hake, \$1.25; pollock, \$1.25; haddock, \$1.75; large cusk, \$2.50.

Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.00; medium cod, \$1.62 1-2; all cod caught to the eastward of La-Have bank, \$1.75, medium \$1.87 1-2; cnsk, \$1.62 1-2; haddock, \$1; hake, \$1; pollock, 70e

Outside sales Georges handline cod, \$4.25 for large and \$3.50 for mediums.

Bank halibut, 6 cts. per lb. for white and 4 cts. per lb. for small gray, and 3c for large gray.

Rips cod, \$4 for large and \$3.30 for medium.

Salt mackerel, \$9.00 per barrel.

# Boston.

Sch. Lena and Maud, 300 bbls. salt mackerel, 15,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Raiph L. Hall, 340 bbls, salt mackerel, 16,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Natalie J. Nelson, 350 bbls. salt mackerel, 15,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Ellen F. Gleason, 10,000 haddock, 16,-

000 cod, 2000 cusk, 500 pollock. Sch. Matchless, 6000 cod, 40,000 hake, 25,-000 cusk.

Sch. Juniata, 10,000 cod. 18,000 hake, 8000

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#### Fishing Feet Movements.

Schs. Appomatox, Ralph Russell and Lawrence Murdock were at Portsmouth yesterday. Sch. Juliette was at Portland on Saturday. Sch. Victor sailed from Louisburg June 1.

The Sydney Record says that seh. Maggie Sullivan, which put in there for ice June I and sailed next day, had a good fare of halibut on board.

Br. sch. Bessie, Port Gilbert, N. S, 85 cords of wood for Charles H. Boynton.

June 1

# FINE FARES OF MACKEREL.

Three Trips at Boston from the Cape Shore Today.

SCH. SALADIN AT NEWPORT.

Some Southern Seiners Hav Been Salting Their Fish.

Capt. Flar McKown of sch. Saladin is losing no time evidently. Yesterday morning he came into Newport with 200 barrels of fresh mackerel and this morning he is back there with 200 barrels more. This is certainly doing business.

At Boston this morning are the following fine fares from the Cape Shore:

Sch. Lena and Maud, Capt. John W. Mc-Farland, 300 barrels salt mackerel and 15,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Ralph L. Hali, 300 barrels salt mackerel and 15,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Natalie J. Nelson, 325 barrels salt mackerel, and 15,000 fresh mackerel.

These vessels will take out their fresh mackerel at T wharf and bring their salt fish here for market.

Sch. Constellation, Capt, Thaddeus Morgan, stocked \$6000 on her Cape Shore seining trip, the crew sharing \$118.28.

Sch. Seaconnett is reported to have made a good haul off Canso last Friday.

The netters out south report mackerel schooling 25 miles southeast of No Man's Land. They also report lots of deglish off shore, but none in shore.

The seining skippers out south report that the fish appear to be coming back to the westward. They think that they have struck cold water this way and therefore changed their course.

Some of the captains and men of the netting fleet took advantage of the easterly to come home by rail yesterday. All report a good body of mackerel out to the southward and they expect netting to be good for some time yet.

All the vessels which made hauls to the southward Saturday, did not run them fresh to Newport, but salted their catches. The fish covered quite a territory, some of the fleet getting their hauls off Montauk while others were up off No Man's Land. At the latter place sehs. Norumbega, George Parker and Lucania got good hauls, the latter getting four schools and lay dressing quite a long time.

The fresh mackerel at Boston yesterday from Newport brought nine cents apiece.

The fare of sch. Ralph L. Hall sold to John Pew & Son at \$9 per barrel, that of sch. Lena and Maud to Fred L. Davis and that of sch. Natalie J. Nelson to the Knowles Freeman Co. of Boston, all at \$9 per barrel.

The fresh fish of these three vessels sold at nine cents apiece.

#### FIRST SWORDFISH.

Landed at Newport Yesterday by Sch. Lafayette.

The first swordish of the season was landed at Newport yesterday by Sch. Lafayette, Capt. George Peeples, of this port. June 7

Mysterious Disease Kills the Por-

A mysterious disease is killing menhaden in Narragansett Bay in large numbers and the shores of Prudence and Hog islands as well as Mount Hope bay, are covered with dead fish. Great numbers are also floating up and down the bay with the tide and have been seen far up the Providence river. The dead fish were first noticed last Wednesday, and since that time their numbers have increased rapidly. The fishermen say that the menhaden shoot up from the bottom until their heads are far out of the water; then sinking back, they wiggle a little and die.

# Dead Fish Line Narragansett Bay.

Numerous schools of dead menhaden that had beeu driven high and dry on the shores of Narragansett bay are driving away residents and summer visitors. The beaches are one solid stretch of white fish from Kettle Point, just below Providence to Bristol Bay. Many people fear an epidemic as the fish have died of poison and the stench is unbearable.

#### Mackerel Notes.

Sch. Rebecca arrived at New Bedford yesterday with 175 barrels fresh mackerel. She reports schs. Lucania, Pinta, Faustina and Margie Smith making hauls at the same time.

The fare of salt mackerel of soh, Constellation sold to William H. Jordan & Co., at \$9 per barrel.

June 8

#### Good Stock.

Sch. Squanto, Capt. John McKay, stocked \$3401 as the result of her recent big halibut trip.

#### Caught Skate in Fresh Water.

A skate, distinctly a salt water fish, has been caught in the Ausable river, near Glen Falls, N. Y.

#### Dandy Stocks.

Sch. Kentucky, Capt. Elroy Prior, stocked \$4347.88 on her Cape Shore seining trip, the crew sharing \$95.74.

Sch. Diana, Capt. James McLean, stocked \$4086 on her recent Cape Shore seining trip, the crew sharing \$90.28,

#### A Fish Story.

At Long Beach yesterday, Mr. Alfred Day went fishing with a mackerel line and jig and captured three codfish, whose combined weight was 18 pounds.

#### Another Good Cape Shore Trip.

Sch. Nourmahal, Capt. Wallace Parsons arrived from the Cape Shore, seining, this at terno in with 325 barrels of salt mackerel and 7000 fresh mackerel.

## Hake Sounds Still Rising.

Hake sounds are still rising, a lot yesterday selling for 10 1-2 cents per pound.

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Sch. Ralph L. Hall, Cape Shore via Boston, 340 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Jennie B. Hodgdon, Cape North, 60,000 lbs. fresh cod, 50,000 lbs. salt cod

Sch. Gertrude, via Boston. Sch. Matchless, via Boston.

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#### Vesses Sailed.

#### Boston.

Seh. Philip M. Manter, 35,000 haddock,

Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 45,000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Mary Walen, 35,000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 15,000 hake, 9000 cusk.

Sch. I. J. Merritt, Jr., 25,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 800 pollock.

Sch. Evelyn L. Smith, 5000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Joseph W. Warren, 25,000 eod, 1000 pollock.

Sch. Flora L. Sears, 6000 haddock, 2000 cod 1000 hake.

Sch. Eva Avina, 2500 cod.

Seh. Dido, 13,000 haddock, 2500 cod.

Sch. Fish Hawk, 11,000 cod, 30,000 hake, 10,000 cusk.

Sch. Frances M. Parker, 1200 cod.

Sch. Julia Costa, 25,000 haddock.

Sch. Corsair, 350 bbls. salt mackerel 200 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Haddock, \$2.75 to \$3.25; large cod, \$3.50 to \$4,50; market cod, \$3 to \$3.50; hake, \$1.50; pollock, \$1; cusk, \$1.30 to \$1.50; mackerel, 9 cents.

Fishing Feet Movements.

Sch. Judique was at Canso Saturday.

#### Alewives in Bay of Fundy.

A ewives are very plentiful in all the Bay of undy ports. Nets are set so thickly in some if the harbors that it is hard work for a teamer to work her way in without damaging hem or getting them caught-in her wheel. June 8

# SCH. VICTOR'S BIG FARE.

Capt. Jacobs Home from Cape Shore with a Trip.

NO NEWS FROM SOUTHWARD.

Sch. Corsair Arrives at Boston with Fine Mackerel Fare.



Sch. Victor, Capt. Solomon Jacobs, arrived here late yesterday afternoon from the Cape Shore after getting some barrels, proceeded to Boston, where his fresh fish were sold this morning. The Victor has a big trip, being practically full of mackerel. Capt. Jacobs estimated his fare at 30,000 fresh mackerel in count and 320 barrels of silt mackerel. The ice house was full and 100 barrels were leed outside in the hold. This is one of the largest trips from the Cape Shore this season.

Sch. Corsair, Capt. George M. Hamor, arrived at Boston from the Cape Shore last evening with a fine fare, 350 barrels of salt mackerel and 200 barrels fresh mackerel.

The Corsair and Victor will come here with their salt mackerel.

Sch. Nellie Dixon was at Canso Saturday, and sch. Priscilla Smith sailed from there the

At Newport yesterday were the following netters:

Sch. Moses B. Linscott, 1000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Maud B. Murray, 500 fresh mackerel. Sch. Albert Willard, 4 barrels fresh mack-

The fresh mackerel fare of sch. Nourmahal sold to the Gloucester Fresh Fish Company, while the salt trip, comprising 325 barrels, was purchased by the Gloucester Mackerel Company for \$9 a barrel.

June 9

#### ENORMOUS FARE.

Sch. Colonial Arrives with Fine Pare of Fresh and Salt Codfish.

Sch. Colonial arrived at this port yesterday afternoon with one of the finest trips of the season, having about 100,000 pounds fresh fish, mostly cod, and 20,000 pounds salt cod.

The Colonial is in command of Capt. Henry Larkin and has been gone between four and five weeks, securing his large fare off Scatari. Caot. Larkin is a bustler and the proceeds of the trip will net himself and crew a handsome share. Slade Gorton & Co. purchased the trip.

#### Landed Sick Man.

Seh. Vigilant arrived at Halifax yesterday to land one of her crew, who was sick. She had 60,000 pounds of codfish. Jane 9

# STUDYING FISHERIES.

Two Eminent German Officials
Were Here Yesterday.

Found Much to Impress and Received Considerable Information

The extracts from the report of the Massachuesetts fish and game commission, which, with illustrations, were widely published in Germany, created much interest among those interested in the fisheries of that country. As a result the German government has sent to this country Prof. H. Henking of Hanover, general secretary of the German sea fisheries association, and Mr. Heidrich of Memel, Germany, one of the royal fish masters.

They called on Capt. Collins, chairman of the fish and game commission, Monday, and told him that they were here for the purpose of studying the fisheries of this state, with special reference to the utilization of power-driven dories, the introduction of which in the German fisheries, it is thought, will be very advantageous. Letters of introduction were furnished them to parties in Gloucester, Provincetown and Truro, in which places they will spend more or less time in studying the various fishery industries as carried on at these places.

Capt. Collins also took them to the Boston fish bureau, where they were introduced to Sec. F. F. Dimick, who gave them information as to his method of collecting statistics of the fisheries and transmitting information to the correspondents of the bureau.

The distinguished gentlemen came here yesterday and were taken in charge by Collector Jordan, who showed them about the wharve's and shipping and curing establishments, giving them every opportunity of seeing the methods of taking out fish and also how they are cured, put up and shipped. They also spent an hour at the Board of Trade carefully inspecting the method of securing and posting the fishing arrivals, and the way of tabulating and preserving the statistics of the fisheries, The gentlemen were much pleased with the completeness of the system and told the board's statistician, Mr. Arthur L. Millett who explained the department to them, that it was the most thorough and complete they had seen. They departed for Provincetown on the 6.29 train.

### 1,200,000 LOBSTERS.

Large Amount of Fry from Local Hatchery Deposited in Maine Waters.

A consignment of 1,200,000 lobster fry were received from the Ten Pound Island Hatchery at Portland on Monday afternoon and were at once taken to Great Diamond Island, and liberated. On Tuesday a similar number was again received.

The work at this port is in charge of the United States Fish Commission Grampus.

The fry put over will probably be full grown lobsters in five or six years,

# ROCKPORT.

Old England Hake.

A large number of young men and boys are finding enjoyment every evening now by fishing for Old England hake in the bay.